



CHAPEL HILL NEWS

INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

<i>Chief Judge Morey</i>	1
<i>Meeting Notes</i>	1
<i>Essay Contest</i>	2
<i>Oratorical Contest</i>	2
<i>Announcements</i>	2
<i>Upcoming Events</i>	2

Meeting Notes

Program

Marcia Morey

Humor and Insights

Bob shared humor this evening.

Life Membership Game

The life membership game was played this evening with no winner, so the funds will carry over to the next time.

Yellow Optimist Shirts

Let Phyllis know if you want a yellow shirt with the Optimist logo at our cost, only \$20. Get your shirt for the next race!

Marcia Morey

14th Judicial District Chief Judge



Judge Morey, an advocate for juveniles, is assigned to preside over this district's Juvenile Treatment

In the 1990s, Marcia helped to rewrite the juvenile laws in North Carolina. She shared with us some of the challenges in dealing with youth who come before the court.

Marcia told us about 'teen court' and how it enables young people to serve through community service after being judged by a jury of their peers and thus avoid having a crime on their record. The teens must also do their duty by serving on the jury for other youths. This can often re-direct the lives of young people.

Marcia continues to work not only for justice, but also better ways to help young people.



Thanks to Marge for bringing Marcia Morey to talk with us this evening. The Honorable Marcia H. Morey has served the District Court bench from 1999. Judge Morey received her undergraduate degree from Milliken University in Illinois. She received a Masters in Teaching from Reed College and her Juris Doctorate from Northwestern School of Law. Prior to serving the District Court bench, Judge Morey was an Olympic swimmer and coach, NCAA investigator, journalist, and Assistant District Attorney for the

For more information about Durham

<http://www.durhamcountync.gov/>

Essay Contest

Chair: Bob Verne Congratulations to:
 1st place **Katherine Mulligan**, \$100 and entry to District contest, competing for \$2500 scholarship
 2nd Place **Annie DiLorenzo** \$50
 3rd Place **Hsar Ree Ree Wei** \$25



Oratorical Contest

Chair: Shelia Hodges-Loftin Congratulations to:
 Our winner: **LaKyla Hodges** \$50 and entry to District contest, competing for \$2500 scholarship
 Shown here with her mother, LaToya Hodges, president Carolyn Mason, and grandmother, Shelia.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



- We need speakers for **programs** at upcoming meetings. Please contact **Marge** if you have an idea for a topic or know of someone who may be willing to visit us.
- Donations of food for **TABLE** continue to be needed. Check **Phyllis'** email for items to bring to Board meeting. Remember that checks payable to TABLE or good old cash are always welcome.
- **Max** will check with **Chatham County Together** to see if they would like to do another pizza and bowling outing with us.
- Contact **Carolyn** if you have suggestions for meeting locations now that Jim's BBQ is closed and share with her your comments about the other locations we are trying out.

UPCOMING EVENTS	May 9	Board Meeting at City Kitchen, University Mall 6:30 pm
	May 12	NC East District meeting – Goldsboro
	May 16	Program: Robert Logan, Superintendent Chatham County & City Schools - location to be announced 6:30 pm
	May 23	No Optimist meeting this week
	May 30	Social at Bailey's 6:30 pm
	June 2	Kisses for Cancer 8am-6pm Harris Teeter University Mall
	June 3	Kisses for Cancer 10am-4pm Harris Teeter Chapel Hill North
	June 6	Program: topic & location to be announced 6:30 pm
	June 13	Board Meeting - location to be announced 6:30 pm
June 20	Program: topic & location to be announced 6:30 pm	

NC East Convention
Myrtle Beach August 23-26
...
Optimist International Convention
Milwaukee July 12-14

OPTIMIST CLUB OF CHAPEL HILL			
President:	Carolyn Mason	cmason96@nc.rr.com	919-641-0892
Treasurer:	Bob Verne	rverne44@gmail.com	919-619-2969
Secretary & News Editor:	Phyllis Stout	pstout@fmrealty.com	919-698-7612
Program Chair	Marge Clemons	maggiew013@yahoo.com	919-265-8515